

	READING LIT & INFORMATIONAL TEXT		FOUNDATIONAL SKILLS		SPEAKING & LISTENING
Lesson	Selections	Text-Based Comprehension	Decoding	Fluency	Speaking and Listening
1	Anchor Text A Fine, Fine School Genre: Humorous Fiction Paired Selection One-Room Schoolhouses Genre: Informational Text	Target Skill Story Structure  Target Strategy Summarize  Second Read Skill Analyze Illustrations	Short vowels <i>a, e, i, o, u</i> Words with the VCCV Pattern	Accuracy	Read Aloud Such a Deal!  Speaking/Listening: Retell the story  Speaking and Listening Skill Hold a Discussion or Conversation
2	Anchor Text The Trial of Cardigan Jones Genre: Fantasy  Paired Selection You Be the Jury Genre: Informational Text	Target Skill Conclusions  Target Strategy Infer/Predict  Second Read Skill Author's Word Choice	Long Vowels <i>a, e, i, o, u</i> Words with the <i>VCe</i> Pattern	Phrasing	Read Aloud Sequoyah  Speaking/Listening: Determine the main ideas and supporting details  Speaking and Listening Skill Ask and Answer Questions
3	Anchor Text Destiny's Gift Genre: Realistic Fiction  Paired Selection Kids Making a Difference Genre: Informational Text	Target Skill Understanding Characters  Target Strategy Analyze/Evaluate  Second Read Skill Story Message	Common Vowel Pairs ai, ay, ee, ea	Reading Rate	Read Aloud Open Your Eyes! Speaking/Listening: Ask and answer questions



LAN	WRITING		
Target/Academic Vocabulary	Spelling	Language	Writing
Target/Academic Vocabulary principal, strolled, proud, worried, soared, announced, fine, certainly  Domain-Specific Vocabulary educator, administrator, classroom, schoolhouse, subject, curriculum  Apply Vocabulary Knowledge Shades of Meaning  Vocabulary Strategies Context Clues	Spelling Principle Short Vowels  Spelling Words Basic: crop, plan, thing, smell, shut, sticky, spent, lunch, pumpkin, clock, gift, class, skip, swing Review: next, hug Challenge: hospital, fantastic	Grammar Skill Simple Sentences	Writing Mode Narrative Writing  Writing Form Descriptive Paragraph  Focus Trait Word Choice: Exact Words  Write About Reading Performance Task
Target/Academic Vocabulary convinced, trial, jury, guilty, pointed, honest, murmur, stand  Domain-Specific Vocabulary prosecution, verdict, judge, courtroom, lawyer  Apply Vocabulary Knowledge Use a Dictionary  Vocabulary Strategies Dictionary/Glossary	Spelling Principle VCe Spellings  Spelling Words Basic: spoke, mile, save, excuse, cone, invite, cube, price, erase, ripe, broke, flame, life, rule Review: these, those Challenge: surprise, decide	Grammar Skill Kinds of Sentences	Writing Mode Narrative Writing  Writing Form Dialogue  Focus Trait Ideas: Audience and Purpose  Write About Reading Performance Task
Target/Academic Vocabulary raise, spreading, earn, figure, contacted, block, afford, customers  Domain-Specific Vocabulary volunteer, business, charity, community service  Apply Vocabulary Knowledge Use a Glossary  Vocabulary Strategies Antonyms	Spelling Principle Long a and Long e Spellings  Spelling Words Basic: lay, real, trail, sweet, today, dream, seem, tea, treat, afraid, leave, bait, screen, speed Review: paint, please Challenge: yesterday, explain	Grammar Skill Compound Sentences	Writing Mode Narrative Writing  Writing Form Personal Narrative  Focus Trait Voice: Express Thoughts and Feelings  Write About Reading Performance Task  Research/Media Literacy Skills Interpret Information Presented Visually

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4	Anchor Text Pop's Bridge Genre: Historical Fiction  Paired Selection Bridges Genre: Informational Text	Target Skill Compare and Contrast  Target Strategy Infer/Predict  Secondary Skill Story Structure	Long o Spelled oa, ow	Expression	Read Aloud The Bixby Bridge  Speaking/Listening: Answer questions with appropriate elaboration and detail
5	Anchor Text Roberto Clemente: Pride of the Pittsburgh Pirates Genre: Biography  Paired Selection Baseball Poems Genre: Poetry	Target Skill Cause and Effect  Target Strategy Visualize  Second Read Skill Literal and Nonliteral Meanings	Long i spelled i, ie, igh	Intonation	Read Aloud The Tennessee Tornado Speaking/Listening: Speak in complete sentences



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Target/Academic Vocabulary	Spelling	Language	Writing
Target/Academic Vocabulary balancing, tide, crew disappears, foggy, stretch, excitement, cling  Domain-Specific Vocabulary foreman, construction, suspension, arches, harness  Apply Vocabulary Knowledge Use Guidewords  Vocabulary Strategies Word Families	Spelling Principle Long o Spellings  Spelling Words Basic: load, open, told, yellow, soak, shadow, foam, follow, glow, sold, window, coach, almost, throat Review: cold, most Challenge: tomorrow, sailboats	<b>Grammar Skill</b> Common and Proper Nouns	Writing Mode Narrative Writing  Writing Form Prewrite a Personal Narrative  Focus Trait Ideas: Important and Interesting Details  Write About Reading Performance Task  Research/Media Literacy Skills Brainstorm Topics
Target/Academic Vocabulary stands, score, fans, league, slammed, pronounced, style, polish,  Domain-Specific Vocabulary amateur, professional, outfield, spectators, sportsmanship  Apply Vocabulary Knowledge Use a Digital Dictionary  Vocabulary Strategies Prefix mis-	Spelling Principle Long i Spellings  Spelling Words Basic: slight, mild, sight, pie, mind, tie, pilot, might, lie, tight, blind, fight, die, midnight Review: find, night Challenge: silent, frightening	Grammar Skill Plural Nouns with -s and -es	Writing Mode Narrative Writing  Writing Form Draft a Personal Narrative  Focus Trait Sentence Fluency: Time-Order Words  Write About Reading Performance Task  Research/Media Literacy Skills Narrow a Topic

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Lesson	Selections	Text-Based Comprehension	Decoding	Fluency	Speaking and Listening
6	Anchor Text Bat Loves the Night Genre: Narrative Nonfiction  Paired Selection A Bat Is Born Genre: Poetry	Target Skill Sequence of Events  Target Strategy Question  Second Read Skill Domain-Specific Vocabulary	Words with the VCV Pattern	Reading Rate	Read Aloud Bats Are the Best Beasts  Speaking/Listening: Ask and answer questions  Speaking and Listening Skill Recount an Experience
7	Anchor Text What Do Illustrators Do? Genre: Informational Text Paired Selection Jack Draws a Beanstalk Genre: Traditional Tale	Target Skill Text and Graphic Features  Target Strategy Analyze/Evaluate  Second Read Skill Sequence of Events	Three-Letter Clusters (scr, spr, str, thr)	Expression	Read Aloud Louis Braille: Boy Inventor  Speaking/Listening: Determine the main idea and supporting details  Speaking and Listening Skill Create an Audio Recording
8	Anchor Text The Harvest Birds Genre: Folktale  Paired Selection The Treasure Genre: Folktale	Target Skill Conclusions  Target Strategy Infer/Predict  Second Read Skill Literal and Nonliteral Meanings	Silent Letters <i>kn, wr</i>	Stress	Read Aloud Sweet Berries  Speaking/Listening: Speak in complete sentences when retelling steps  Speaking and Listening Skill Tell a Story



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Target/Academic Vocabulary	Spelling	Language	Writing
Target/Academic Vocabulary twitch, detail, swoops, slithers, squeak, dozes, echoes, snuggles  Domain Specific Vocabulary mammal, echolocation, nocturnal, environment  Apply Vocabulary Knowledge Use a Digital Glossary  Vocabulary Strategies Suffixes -able, -ible	Spelling Principle More Short and Long Vowels  Spelling Words Basic Words: math, toast, easy, socks, Friday, stuff, paid, cheese, June, elbow, program, shiny, piles, sticky Review Words: each, both Challenge Words: comb, holiday	Grammar Skill What Is a Verb?	Writing Mode Opinion Writing  Writing Form Response Paragraph  Focus Trait Ideas: Details and Examples  Write About Reading Performance Task
Target/Academic Vocabulary tracing, imagine, illustrate, scribbles, sketches, research, textures, tools  Domain-Specific Vocabulary foreground, typeface, watercolors, composition, publisher  Apply Vocabulary Knowledge Context Sentences  Vocabulary Strategies Synonyms	Spelling Principle Three-Letter Clusters  Spelling Words Basic Words: three, scrap, street, spring, thrill, scream, strange, throw, string, scrape, spray, threw, strong, scratch Review Words: think, they Challenge Words: straight, scramble	Grammar Skill Verb Tenses	Writing Mode Opinion Writing Writing Form Opinion Piece Focus Trait Organization: Topic Sentence Write About Reading Performance Task
Target/Academic Vocabulary harvest, separate, ashamed, borders, advice, borrow, patch, serious  Domain-Specific Vocabulary pilgrimage, perceptions, perspective  Apply Vocabulary Knowledge Parts of a Dictionary Entry  Vocabulary Strategies Context Clues	Spelling Principle Unexpected Consonant Spellings  Spelling Words Basic Words: itch, wreck, knee, patch, wrap, knot, watch, knife, stretch, write, knew, knock, match, wrong Review Words: know, catch Challenge Words: wrinkle, knuckle	Grammar Skill Using Commas	Writing Mode Opinion Writing Writing Form Response Paragraphs Focus Trait Word Choice: Using Linking Words Write About Reading Performance Task

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Lesson	Selections	Text-Based Comprehension	Decoding	Fluency	Speaking and Listening
9	Anchor Text Kamishibai Man Genre: Realistic Fiction  Paired Selection The True Story of Kamishibai Genre: Informational Text	Target Skill Cause and Effect  Target Strategy Monitor/Clarify  Second Read Skill Analyze Illustrations	Vowel Diphthongs <i>ow</i> and <i>ou</i>	Intonation	Read Aloud The Magical Art of Mime Speaking/Listening: Ask and answer questions
10	Anchor Text Young Thomas Edison Genre: Biography  Paired Selection Moving Pictures Genre: Informational Text	Target Skill Main Ideas and Details  Target Strategy Summarize  Second Read Skill Sequence of Events	Words with <i>au, aw, al,</i> and <i>o</i>	Accuracy	Read Aloud Ryan Hreljac,* Saving Lives at Six  Speaking/Listening: Determine the main ideas and supporting details
Extended Reading	Trade Book Amos & Boris	Target Strategies Visualize Monitor/Clarify			



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Target/Academic Vocabulary	Spelling	Language	Writing
Target/Academic Vocabulary familiar, jerky, vacant, rickety, blurry, rude, blasted, applause  Domain-Specific Vocabulary mime, atmosphere, storyteller, improvisation  Apply Vocabulary Knowledge Multiple-Meaning Words  Vocabulary Strategies Dictionary/Glossary	Spelling Principle Vowel Sound in town  Spelling Words Basic Words: clown, round, bow, cloud, power, crown, thousand, crowd, sound, count, powder, blouse, frown, pound Review Words: house, found Challenge Words: mountain, coward	<b>Grammar Skill</b> Abstract Nouns	Writing Mode Opinion Writing  Writing Form Prewrite a Response to Literature  Focus Trait Organization: Opinion Statement  Write About Reading Performance Task  Research/Media Literacy Skills Refine a Research Question
Target/Academic Vocabulary signal, genius, gadget, invention, laboratory, experiment, occasional, electric  Domain-Specific Vocabulary patent, phonograph, sound waves, kinetoscope  Apply Vocabulary Knowledge Use a Dictionary  Vocabulary Strategies Shades of Meaning	Spelling Principle Vowel Sound in talk  Spelling Words Basic Words: talk, cross, awful, law, cloth, cost, crawl, chalk, also, raw, salt, wall, lawn, always Review Words: soft, small Challenge Words: often, strawberry	Grammar Skill Pronouns and Antecedents	Writing Mode Opinion Writing  Writing Form Draft a Response to Literature  Focus Trait Sentence Fluency: Avoiding Redundancy  Write About Reading Performance Task  Research/Media Literacy Skills Generate a Research Plan
Content Vocabulary Words backwashes, navigation, enterprise, phosphorescent, luminous, vast, mammal, sounded, ambitions, spout, tidal wave, desperately, mote, rumbled			

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Lesson	Selections	Text-Based Comprehension	Decoding	Fluency	Speaking and Listening
11	Anchor Text Technology Wins the Game Genre: Informational Text  Paired Selection Science for Sports Fans Genre: Informational Text	Target Skill Sequence of Events  Target Strategy Question  Second Read Skill Text and Graphic Features	Vowel Diphthongs oi, oy	Phrasing	Read Aloud J-Block  Speaking/Listening: Answer questions with appropriate elaboration and detail
12	Anchor Text Tops and Bottoms Genre: Trickster Tale  Paired Selection Goodness Grows in Gardens Genre: Informational Text	Target Skill Theme  Target Strategy Visualize  Second Read Skill Point of View	Homophones Words Ending in <i>-er</i> and <i>-le</i>	Stress	Read Aloud Growing Up  Speaking/Listening: Speak in complete sentences when retelling story events  Speaking and Listening Skill Interpret Information Presented Orally
13	Anchor Text Yonder Mountain: A Cherokee Legend Genre: Legend  Paired Selection The Trail of Tears Genre: Informational Text	Target Skill Compare and Contrast  Target Strategy Analyze/Evaluate  Second Read Skill Story Message	Contractions with <i>n't,</i> 'd, 've	Reading Rate	Read Aloud The Best Worst Day Speaking/Listening: Ask questions



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Target/Academic Vocabulary contribute, athletes, improve, power, flexible, process, compete, fraction  Domain-Specific Vocabulary force, energy, sensor, sports engineer  Apply Vocabulary Knowledge Use a Digital Dictionary  Vocabulary Strategies Suffixes -less, -ful, -ous	Spelling Principle Vowel Sound in joy  Spelling Words Basic Words: joy, point, voice, join, oil, coin, noise, spoil, toy, joint, boy, soil, choice, boil Review Words: come, are Challenge Words: poison, destroy	Grammar Skill Plural Nouns	Writing Mode Informative Writing  Writing Form Cause-and-Effect Paragraph  Focus Trait Word Choice: Cause-and-Effect Signal Words  Write About Reading Performance Task  Research/Media Literacy Skills Interpret Information Presented Quantitatively
Target/Academic Vocabulary risky, grunted, crops, profit, scowled, plucked, tugged, hollered  Domain-Specific Vocabulary cultivate, depletion, rotation, sustainable  Apply Vocabulary Knowledge Use a Glossary  Vocabulary Strategies Idioms	Spelling Principle Homophones  Spelling Words Basic Words: hole, whole, its, it's, hear, here, won, one, our, hour, their, there, fur, fir Review Words: road, rode Challenge Words: peace, piece	Grammar Skill Writing Quotations	Writing Mode Informative Writing  Writing Form Compare-and-Contrast Paragraph  Focus Trait Word Choice: Compare-and-Contrast Signal Words  Write About Reading Performance Task
Target/Academic Vocabulary peak, examined, fondly, steep, rugged, pausing, mist, pleaded  Domain-Specific Vocabulary tribe, chief, treaty, territory, oral tradition  Apply Vocabulary Knowledge Use a Digital Glossary  Vocabulary Strategies Homophones and Homographs	Spelling Principle Contractions  Spelling Words Basic: I'd, he's, haven't, doesn't, let's, there's wouldn't, what's, she's, aren't, hasn't, couldn't, he'd, they're Review: can't, isn't Challenge: we're, weren't	Grammar Skill Subject-Verb Agreement	Writing Mode Informative Writing Writing Form Informative Paragraph Focus Trait Organization: Group-Related Information Write About Reading Performance Task Research/Media Literacy Skills Gather Information

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Lesson	Selections	Text-Based Comprehension	Decoding	Fluency	Speaking and Listening
14	Anchor Text Aero and Officer Mike Genre: Informational Text  Paired Selection Kids and Critters Genre: Informational Text	Target Skill Author's Purpose  Target Strategy Summarize  Second Read Skill Point of View	Words with <i>ar, or, ore</i>	Accuracy	Read Aloud  More Than a Pet  Speaking/Listening: Determine the main ideas and supporting details
15	Anchor Text The Extra-good Sunday Genre: Humorous Fiction Paired Selection Imagine a Recipe Genre: Informational Text	Target Skill Understanding Characters  Target Strategy Infer/Predict  Second Read Skill Formal and Informal Language	Words with er, ir, ur, or	Expression	Read Aloud Give Yourself a Gift  Speaking/Listening: Retell the main plot events  Speaking and Listening Skill Hold a Group Discussion



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Target/Academic Vocabulary	Spelling	Language	Writing
Target/Academic Vocabulary lying, loyal, partners, shift, quiver, patrol, ability, snap  Domain-Specific Vocabulary guide dog, husbandry, colleague, companion, veterinarian  Apply Vocabulary Knowledge Multiple-Meaning Words  Vocabulary Strategies Prefixes in-, im-	Spelling Principle Vowel + /r/ Sounds  Spelling Words Basic Words: horse, mark, storm, market, acorn, artist, March, north, barking, stork, thorn, forest, chore, restore Review Words: dark, story Challenge Words: partner, fortune	Grammar Skill Pronoun-Verb Agreement	Writing Mode Informative Writing  Writing Form Prewrite an Explanatory Essay  Focus Trait Ideas: Choosing a Topic  Write About Reading Performance Task  Research/Media Literacy Skills Take Notes
Target/Academic Vocabulary anxiously, degrees, tense, ingredients, recommended, remarked, festive, cross  Domain-Specific Vocabulary recipe, chef, teaspoon, tablespoon, measurements  Apply Vocabulary Knowledge Parts of a Dictionary Entry  Vocabulary Strategies Using a Thesaurus	Spelling Principle Vowel + /r/ Sound in nurse  Spelling Words Basic Words: nurse, work, shirt, hurt, first, word, serve, curly, dirt, third, worry, turn, stir, firm Review Words: her, girl Challenge Words: perfect, hamburger	Grammar Skill Verb Tenses	Writing Mode Informative Writing  Writing Form Draft an Explanatory Essay  Focus Trait Voice: Using Formal Language  Write About Reading Performance Task

	READING LIT & INFORMATIONAL TEXT		FOUNDATIONAL SKILLS		SPEAKING & LISTENING
Lesson	Selections	Text-Based Comprehension	Decoding	Fluency	Speaking and Listening
16	Anchor Text Judy Moody Saves the World! Genre: Humorous Fiction  Paired Selection "My Smelly Pet" from Judy Moody Genre: Humorous Fiction	Target Skill Story Structure  Target Strategy Monitor/Clarify  Second Read Skill Theme	Words with <i>air, ear, are</i>	Intonation	Read Aloud Counting Cans  Speaking/Listening: Ask and answer  Speaking and Listening Skill Report on a Text
17	Anchor Text The Albertosaurus Mystery: Philip Currie's Hunt in the Badlands Genre: Informational Text  Paired Selection Finding Fossils for Fun Genre: Informational Text	Target Skill Conclusions  Target Strategy Visualize  Second Read Skill Point of View	Words with /j/ and /s/ Words with the VCCCV Pattern	Stress	Read Aloud Otzi's Story  Speaking/Listening: Answer questions in complete sentences  Speaking and Listening Skill Ask and Answer Questions
18	Anchor Text A Tree Is Growing Genre: Informational Text  Paired Selection Stopping by Woods on a Snowy Evening Genre: Poetry	Target Skill Text and Graphic Features  Target Strategy Question  Second Read Skill Domain-Specific Vocabulary	Words with /k/ and / kw/	Expression	Read Aloud The World Tree  Speaking/Listening: Ask and answer questions in complete sentences  Speaking and Listening Skill Create an Audio Recording



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Target/Academic Vocabulary	Spelling	Language	Writing
Target/Academic Vocabulary recycle, project, dripping, carton, complicated, global, rubbish, hardly, shade, pollution  Domain-Specific Vocabulary compost, landfill, conserve  Apply Vocabulary Knowledge Use a Dictionary  Vocabulary Strategies Context Clues	Spelling Principle Vowel + /r/ Sounds in air and fear  Spelling Words Basic Words: air, wear, chair, stairs, bare, bear, hair, care, pear, pair, share, near, ear, beard Review Words: buy, year Challenge Words: earring, compare	Grammar Skill What Are Adjectives and Articles?	Writing Mode Opinion Writing  Writing Form Persuasive Letter  Focus Trait Ideas: Introducing the Topic and Opinion  Write About Reading Performance Task
Target/Academic Vocabulary clues, remains, evidence, prove, fossils, skeletons, uncovering, buried, fierce, location  Domain-Specific Vocabulary paleontology, badlands, field notes, sediment  Apply Vocabulary Knowledge Use a Digital Dictionary  Vocabulary Strategies Suffix -ly	Spelling Principle Words with /j/ and /s/  Spelling Words Basic Words: age, space, change, jawbone, jacket, giant, pencil, circle, once, large, dance, jeans, bounce, huge Review Words: nice, place Challenge Words: excited, gigantic	<b>Grammar Skill</b> Adjectives That Compare	Writing Mode Opinion Writing  Writing Form Opinion Paragraph  Focus Trait Voice: Convincing Voice  Write About Reading Performance Task
Target/Academic Vocabulary pollen, store, clumps, passages, absorb, throughout, coverings, spines, tropical, dissolve  Domain-Specific Vocabulary roots, growth rings, leaves, precipitation, decay  Apply Vocabulary Knowledge Use a Glossary  Vocabulary Strategies Word Roots	Spelling Principle Spelling the /k/ and /kw/ Sounds  Spelling Words Basic Words: shark, check, queen, circus, flake, crack, second, squeeze, quart, squeak, quick, coldest, Africa, Mexico Review Words: black, thank Challenge Words: correct, question	Grammar Skill Using the Verb be and Helping Verbs	Writing Mode Opinion Writing  Writing Form Problem-and-Solution Paragraph  Focus Trait Word Choice: Exact Words  Write About Reading Performance Task

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Lesson	Selections	Text-Based Comprehension	Decoding	Fluency	Speaking and Listening
19	Anchor Text Two Bear Cubs Genre: Myth/Play  Paired Selection Whose Land Is It? Genre: Informational Text	Target Skill Story Structure  Target Strategy Summarize  Second Read Skill Story Message	Vowel Sounds in <i>spoon</i> and <i>wood</i>	Reading Rate	Read Aloud Bear Scare  Speaking/Listening: Retell the story
20	Anchor Text Life on the Ice Genre: Informational Text  Paired Selection The Raven: An Inuit Myth Genre: Myth	Target Skill Main Ideas and Details  Target Strategy Infer/Predict  Second Read Skill Literal and Nonliteral Meanings	Compound Words	Accuracy	Read Aloud Clever Colonies Speaking/Listening: Ask and answer questions
Extended Reading	Trade Book Boy, Were We Wrong About Dinosaurs!	Target Strategies Monitor/Clarify Question Summarize			



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Target/Academic Vocabulary	Spelling	Language	Writing
Target/Academic Vocabulary scolding, greedily, hesitation, ignores, burden, glancing, console, base, drowsy, heroic  Related Vocabulary dilemma, embraced, hinder, commended  Apply Vocabulary Knowledge Use a Digital Glossary  Vocabulary Strategies Prefixes pre-, re-, bi-	Spelling Principle Vowel Sounds in spoon and wood  Spelling Words Basic Words: mood, wooden, drew, smooth, blue, balloon, true, crooked, chew, tooth, hooves, cool, food, pooch Review Words: blew, foot Challenge Words: loose, jewel	<b>Grammar Skill</b> More Irregular Verbs	Writing Mode Opinion Writing  Writing Form Prewrite a Persuasive Essay  Focus Trait Ideas: Thinking About Your Audience  Write About Reading Performance Task  Research/Media Literacy Skills Paraphrasing v. Plagiarism
Target/Academic Vocabulary shelter, layer, constant, climate, wilderness, region, unexpected, gliding, overheated, colony  Domain-Specific Vocabulary equator, Fahrenheit, Celsius, precipitation  Apply Vocabulary Knowledge Context Sentences  Vocabulary Strategies Dictionary/Glossary	Spelling Principle Compound Words  Spelling Words  Basic Words: birthday, anyone, sometimes, everything, homework, afternoon, airplane, grandmother, something, without, himself, faraway, sunburned, daylight Review Words: someone, cannot Challenge Words: scorekeeper, everybody	Grammar Skill What Is an Adverb?	Writing Mode Opinion Writing  Writing Form Draft a Persuasive Essay  Focus Trait Organization: Paragraphs for Reasons  Write About Reading Performance Task  Research/Media Literacy Skills Citing Sources
Content Vocabulary Words fossil, waddle, tendons, bask, microscope, blood vessels, scaly, x-rays, herd, comet, asteroid, acid rain, paleontologist			

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Lesson	Selections	Text-Based Comprehension	Decoding	Fluency	Speaking and Listening
21	Anchor Text Sarah, Plain and Tall Genre: Historical Fiction  Paired Selection Wagons of the Old West Genre: Informational Text	Target Skill Story Structure  Target Strategy Monitor/Clarify  Second Read Skill Point of View	Base Words and -ed, -ing	Intonation	Read Aloud Seal's Story  Speaking/Listening: Retell the story  Speaking and Listening Skill Hold a Group Discussion
22	Anchor Text The Journey: Stories of Migration Genre: Informational Text  Paired Selection The Grasshopper and the Ant Genre: Fable	Target Skill Compare and Contrast  Target Strategy Visualize  Second Read Skill Author's Word Choice	Spelling Changes: -s, -es, -ed, -ing Less Common Plurals	Phrasing	Read Aloud The Taste of Hope  Speaking/Listening: Determine the main ideas and supporting details  Speaking and Listening Skill Create an Audio Recording



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Target/Academic Vocabulary	Spelling	Language	Writing
Target/Academic Vocabulary prairie, slick, fetch, clattered, sniff, rough, batted, thumped, buzzing, rustle  Domain-Specific Vocabulary pioneer, expansion, prairie, bonnet  Apply Vocabulary Knowledge Parts of a Dictionary Entry  Vocabulary Strategies Prefix non-	Spelling Principle Words with -ed and -ing  Spelling Words Basic Words: coming, swimming, dropping, tapping, taping, invited, saving, stared, planned, changing, joking, loved, gripped, tasted Review Words: making, stopped Challenge Words: freezing, scared	Grammar Skill Adverbs That Compare	Writing Mode Narrative Writing  Writing Form Fictional Narrative Paragraph  Focus Trait Ideas: Setting the Scene  Write About Reading Performance Task
Target/Academic Vocabulary survival, migrate, plenty, frightening, accidents, solid, chilly, landscape, thunderous, dramatic  Domain-Specific Vocabulary adaptation, basic needs, insect, migration  Apply Vocabulary Knowledge Shades of Meaning  Vocabulary Strategies Word Roots	Spelling Principle Changing Final y to i  Spelling Words Basic Words: cities, cried, puppies, hurried, stories, flies, parties, tried, pennies, fried, carried, babies, spied, ponies Review Words: pretty, very Challenge Words: countries, libraries	Grammar Skill Making Comparisons	Writing Mode Narrative Writing  Writing Form Descriptive Paragraph  Focus Trait Word Choice: Using Similes  Write About Reading Performance Task

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23	Anchor Text The Journey of Oliver K. Woodman Genre: Fantasy  Paired Selection Moving the U.S. Mail Genre: Informational Text	Target Skill Sequence of Events  Target Strategy Analyze/Evaluate  Second Read Skill Formal and Informal Language	Suffixes -ful, -y, -ous, -ly, -er	Reading Rate	Read Aloud Piggy Goes to Town  Speaking/Listening: Speak in complete sentences when answering questions  Speaking and Listening Skill Recount an Experience
24	Anchor Text Dog-of-the-Sea-Waves Genre: Realistic Fiction  Paired Selection The Land Volcanoes Built Genre: Informational Text	Target Skill Author's Purpose  Target Strategy Question  Second Read Skill Analyze Illustrations	Prefixes un-, pre-, re-, bi-	Accuracy	Read Aloud Mapping the World Speaking/Listening: Ask and answer questions
25	Anchor Text Mountains: Surviving on Mt. Everest Genre: Informational Text  Paired Selection The Big Cleanup Genre: Play	Target Skill Text and Graphic Features  Target Strategy Infer/Predict  Second Read Skill Main Ideas and Details	Suffixes -less, -ness, -able	Expression	Read Aloud Extreme Skiing, Extreme Danger  Speaking/Listening: Determine the main ideas and supporting details  Speaking and Listening Skill Present a Research Report



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Target/Academic Vocabulary	Spelling	Language	Writing
Target/Academic Vocabulary sincere, conversations, managed, inspired, loaded, reunion, loveliest, currently, terror, pleasure  Domain-Specific Vocabulary postage stamp, correspondent, e-mail, return address  Apply Vocabulary Knowledge Use a Glossary  Vocabulary Strategies Suffixes -er, -est	Spelling Principle Suffixes -ful, -ly, and -er  Spelling Words Basic Words: singer, loudly, joyful, teacher, fighter, closely, powerful, farmer, quickly, careful, friendly, speaker, wonderful, truly Review Words: hopeful, safely Challenge Words: listener, calmly	Grammar Skill Possessive Nouns and Pronouns	Writing Mode Narrative Writing  Writing Form Dialogue  Focus Trait Voice: Characters' Feelings  Write About Reading Performance Task
Target/Academic Vocabulary guided, rippled, arrival, voyage, twisted, aboard, anchor, spotted, bay, lava  Domain-Specific Vocabulary eruption, magma, mountain, island  Apply Vocabulary Knowledge Use Guidewords  Vocabulary Strategies Shades of Meaning	Spelling Principle Prefixes re- and un-  Spelling Words Basic Words: unfold, rejoin, untie, reheat, unfair, unclear, repaid, rewrite, unhurt, recheck, unlucky, unwrap, reuse, unsure Review Words: reread, unsafe Challenge Words: unbuckle, unknown	Grammar Skill Complex Sentences	Writing Mode Narrative Writing  Writing Form Prewrite a Fictional Narrative  Focus Trait Ideas: Using Vivid Details  Write About Reading Performance Task  Research/Media Literacy Skills Conduct a Research Project
Target/Academic Vocabulary approached, section, avalanches, increases, equipment, tanks, slopes, altitude, succeed, halt  Domain-Specific Vocabulary peak, summit, range, ridge, landform  Apply Vocabulary Knowledge Use a Digital Dictionary  Vocabulary Strategies Analogies	Spelling Principle Suffixes -less and -ness  Spelling Words Basic Words: painless, sickness, sadness, helpless, thankless, kindness, hopeless, darkness, fearless, thickness, careless, goodness, spotless, softness Review Words: useful, weakly Challenge Words: breathless, eagerness	Grammar Skill More, Most, <i>-er, -est</i>	Writing Mode Narrative Writing  Writing Form Draft a Fictional Narrative  Focus Trait Word Choice: Choosing Words for Effect  Write About Reading Performance Task

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Lesson	Selections	Text-Based Comprehension	Decoding	Fluency	Speaking and Listening
26	Long Article The Foot Race Across     America Genre: Narrative     Nonfiction  Short Article Paca and the Beetle: A     Folktale from Brazil Genre: Folktale  Below Level Trade Book Donavan's Word Jar Author: Monalisa DeGross Genre: Realistic Fiction  On Level Trade Book Jake Drake, Know-It-All Author: Andrew Clements Genre: Realistic Fiction  Advanced Trade Book Capoeira Author: George Ancona Genre: Informational Text	Target Skill Main Ideas and Details  Target Strategy Analyze/Evaluate	Common Final Syllables -tion, -sion, -ture	Accuracy	Read Aloud Outrunning Polio  Speaking/Listening: Ask questions  Speaking and Listening Skill Brainstorming Problems and Solutions
27	Long Article The Power of Magnets Genre: Expository Nonfiction  Short Article Electromagnets and You Genre: Photo Essay  Below Level Trade Book Donavan's Word Jar Author: Monalisa DeGross Genre: Realistic Fiction  On Level Trade Book Jake Drake, Know-It-All Author: Andrew Clements Genre: Realistic Fiction  Advanced Trade Book Capoeira Author: George Ancona Genre: Informational Text	Target Skill Cause and Effect  Target Strategy Summarize	Double Consonants	Intonation	Read Aloud Maglev Trains  Speaking/Listening: Explain causes and effects  Speaking and Listening Skill Deliver a News Report



LAN	WRITING		
Target/Academic Vocabulary	Spelling	Language	Writing
Review Vocabulary principal, proud, announced, advice, loyal, ability, absorb, loveliest, compete, approached  Vocabulary Strategies Suffix -ion  Domain-Specific Vocabulary competition, motivation, victorious, willpower	Spelling Principle Words with VCCV Pattern  Spelling Words Basic Words: person, helmet, until, carpet, Monday, enjoy, forget, problem, Sunday, garden, order, mistake, umpire, herself Review Words: after, under Challenge Words: expect, wisdom	Grammar Skill Abbreviations	Writing Mode Informative Writing  Writing Form Compare-and-Contrast Paragraph  Focus Trait Organization: Group-Related Information  Write About Reading Performance Task
Review Vocabulary research, tools, familiar, gadget, invention, experiment, electric, power, prove, improve  Vocabulary Strategies Homographs and Homophones  Domain-Specific Vocabulary attract, repel, poles, electromagnet	Spelling Principle Words with Double Consonants  Spelling Words Basis Words: jelly, bottom, pillow, happen, butter, lesson, cherry, sudden, arrow, dollar, hello, rabbit, letter, button Review Words: funny, better Challenge Words: stubborn, mirror	Grammar Skill Contractions	Writing Mode Informative Writing  Writing Form Problem/Solution Paragraph  Focus Trait Ideas: Elaborating with Details  Write About Reading Performance Task

	READING LIT & INFORMATIONAL TEXT		FOUNDATIONAL SKILLS		SPEAKING & LISTENING
Lesson	Selections	Text-Based Comprehension	Decoding	Fluency	Speaking and Listening
28	Long Article Becoming Anything He Wants to Be Genre: Biography  Short Article My Blue Belt Day! Genre: Journal Entry  Below Level Trade Book Donavan's Word Jar Author: Monalisa DeGross Genre: Realistic Fiction  On Level Trade Book Jake Drake, Know-It-All Author: Andrew Clements Genre: Realistic Fiction  Advanced Trade Book Capoeira Author: George Ancona Genre: Informational Text	Target Skill Fact and Opinion  Target Strategy Visualize	Words with ough and augh	Phrasing	Read Aloud Rising to the Challenge  Speaking/Listening: Determine the main ideas and supporting details  Speaking and Listening Skill Give a Descriptive Presentation
29	Long Article A New Team of Heroes Genre: Drama  Short Article C-H-A-M-P-I-O-N Genre: Informational Text  Below Level Trade Book Donavan's Word Jar Author: Monalisa DeGross Genre: Realistic Fiction  On Level Trade Book Jake Drake, Know-It-All Author: Andrew Clements Genre: Realistic Fiction  Advanced Trade Book Capoeira Author: George Ancona Genre: Informational Text	Target Skill Understanding Characters  Target Strategy Monitor/Clarify	Words Ending in <i>-er</i> or <i>-le</i>	Expression	Read Aloud Two Players  Speaking/Listening: Hold a discussion  Speaking and Listening Skill Dramatize a Story



LAN	WRITING		
Target/Academic Vocabulary	Spelling	Language	Writing
Review Vocabulary throughout, textures, peak, steep, tropical, landscape, slopes, altitude, survival, equipment  Vocabulary Strategies Word Roots  Domain-Specific Vocabulary overcome, agility, barriers, championship	Spelling Principle Words with ough and augh  Spelling Words Basic Words: taught, thought, rough, laugh, bought, cough, ought, caught, fought, daughter, tough, through, enough, brought Review Words: was, draw Challenge Words: sought, naughty	Grammar Skill Commas in Sentences	Writing Mode Informative Writing  Writing Form Instructions  Focus Trait Word Choice: Exact Words  Write About Reading Performance Task
Review Vocabulary excitement, score, athletes, tense, succeed, league, earn, partners, pleasure, contribute  Vocabulary Strategies Prefixes un- and dis-  Domain-Specific Vocabulary compete, pressure, defense, teammate	Spelling Principle Words Ending with -er or -le  Spelling Words Basic Words: apple, river, little, October, ladder, summer, purple, later, November, giggle, uncle, winter, center, double Review Words: flower, people Challenge Words: whistle, character	Grammar Skill What Is a Preposition?	Writing Mode Informative Writing  Writing Form Prewrite a Research Report  Focus Trait Ideas: Facts and Definitions  Write About Reading Performance Task

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	READING LIT & INFO	READING LIT & INFORMATIONAL TEXT FOUNDATIONAL SKILLS		SPEAKING & LISTENING	
Lesson	Selections	Text-Based Comprehension	Decoding	Fluency	Speaking and Listening
30	Long Article Saving Buster Genre: Realistic Fiction  Short Article Acting Across Generations Genre: News Article  Below Level Trade Book Donavan's Word Jar Author: Monalisa DeGross Genre: Realistic Fiction  On Level Trade Book Jake Drake, Know-It-All Author: Andrew Clements Genre: Realistic Fiction  Advanced Trade Book Capoeira Author: George Ancona Genre: Informational Text	Target Skill Conclusions  Target Strategy Question	Schwa Sound	Reading Rate	Read Aloud Service Dogs  Speaking/Listening: Determine the main ideas and supporting details  Speaking and Listening Skill Present a Visual



LAN	WRITING		
Target/Academic Vocabulary	Spelling	Language	Writing
Review Vocabulary worried, certainly, raise, afford, applause, anxiously, dramatic, guided, ingredients, fetch  Vocabulary Strategies Compound Words  Domain-Specific Vocabulary donate, city council, theater group, senior center	Spelling Principle Words Beginning with a- or be-  Spelling Words Basic Words: below, about, belong, around, again, alone, because, above, between, alive, behind, begin, along, before Review Words: away, want Challenge Words: awhile, beyond	Grammar Skill Correct Pronouns	Writing Mode Informative Writing  Writing Form Draft a Research Report  Focus Trait Organization: Group-Related Information  Write About Reading Performance Task